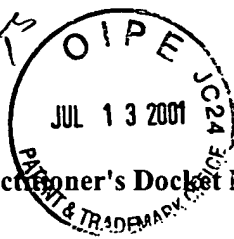


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In re application of: May, Charlotte Mary-Anne; Rochon, Glenn Emile
Application No.: 09/783,713 Group No.: 2121
Filed: February 14, 2001 Examiner: Unknown
For: INTERACTIVE WASTE RECEPTACLE

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Washington, D.C. 20231

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS
-- NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

I. This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed May 22, 2001.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

DECLARATION OR OATH

II. No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.
SMALL ENTITY STATUS

III. A statement that this filing is by a small entity.
Applicant claims small entity status 37 CFR 1.27.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/TRANSMISSION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.8(a))

I hereby certify that this correspondence is, on the date shown below, being:

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Date: 10 July 2001

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COMPLETION FEES

IV.

1. Filing Fee

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| Original patent application (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(a)) | \$355.00 |
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2. Fees for Claims

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| Each independent claim in excess of 3 (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b)) | \$80.00 |
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| Each claim in excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(c)) | \$279.00 |
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3. Surcharge Fees

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| Late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e)) | \$65.00 |
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| 4. Assignment (See "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET") | \$40.00 |
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| Total Completion Fees | \$819.00 |
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EXTENSION OF TIME

V. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

VI. The total fee due is:

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| Completion fees | \$819.00 |
| Extension fee (if any) | \$0.00 |
| Total Fee Due | \$819.00 |

PAYMENT OF FEES

VII. Enclosed is a check in the amount of 819.00.

Please charge Account No. 15-0450 for any fees that may be due by this paper.

AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES

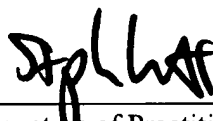
VIII. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees that may be required by this paper and during the pendency of this application to Account No. 15-0450.

37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)

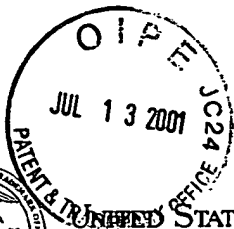
37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b), (c) and (d) (presentation of extra claims) 37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application)

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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65.00 OP

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$359.
 - \$279 for 31 total claims over 20.
 - \$80 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 779.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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